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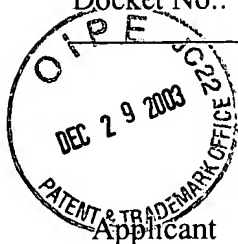
Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 listing Seven (7) references of which 2 are enclosed.
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Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing seven (7) references. Copies of disclosed U.S. patents and/or publications are not included pursuant to PTO waiver of the requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(i) for applications filed after June 30, 2003. Copies of other references, if listed, are enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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	1	4,393,013	7/12/83	McMenamin			
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	6	Suntola, "Atomic layer epitaxy," <u>Thin Solid Films</u> , 216: 84-89 (1992)
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